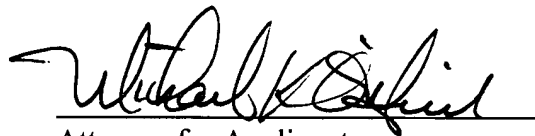


REMARKS

Claim 3 is a method claim drawn along the lines of apparatus Claim 1. The insertion of the word "completely" to Claim 3 corresponds to an identical amendment to corresponding Claim 1 in the Preliminary Amendment dated July 21, 2003, and is believed to more clearly define the invention. Entry of this amendment is therefore respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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